Medical Aid to Women.

16. SRIMATI T. NARAYANI AMMA (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of women treated as in-patients and out-patients in the Government medical institutions of the State in 1105, 1106, 1107 and 1108;

(*b*) the number of Lady Doctors in the department;

(*c*) whether there has been a demand from the public for raising the number of such Lady Doctors;

(*d*) whether there are Lady Doctors in the hospitals in all the centres where there are no women's hospitals; and

(*e*) the number of women treated in the hospitals for women?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*)

Year.	*No. of cases treated*
1105	5,30,897
1106	6,20,804
1107	6,03,353
1108	6,68,938

(*b*) 19.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) 91,041, in 1108.

A Munsiff's Court at Ambalapuzha.

17. MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha I*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) what, if any, step has been taken to shift one of the two Munsiffs' Courts, now held at Alleppey, to Ambalapuzha; and

(*b*) whether any representation has been made to Government by the people in the above behalf and whether they have given any reply to the same?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The question of shifting one of the Munsiffs' Courts from Alleppey to Ambalapuzha, as also the other proposals of the Law's Delays Commissioner, relating to the redistribution of Munsiffs' Courts, have been referred to the High Court and revised proposals have been called for from them, in view of the increase in the number and jurisdiction of the Village Panchayat Courts and the divesting of the Munsiffs at Shencotta, Nedumangad, Changanachery, Kanjirapally and Todupuzha, of their Magisterial powers, which is bound to reduce the work of the Munsiffs to an appreciable extent.

(*b*) A representation, dated the 14th Kanni 1109, has been received from the inhabitants of Ambalapuzha, praying for the shifting of one of the Munsiffs' Courts at Alleppey to Ambalapuzha and the High Court have been requested to expedite their proposals in the matter.

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